

Section 6.8 Acting Pay

(a) An employee assigned to perform substantially the duties of a higher job classification shall, commencing with the seventh (7) consecutive complete calendar day from the commencement of the assignment receive the rate of pay established for the salary step of the classification of the temporary assignment that is a minimum of five (5%) percent greater than the employee is currently earning, retroactive to the date the employee was assigned to such duties. In no event shall the rate paid exceed the top step of the assigned classification.

(b) The City Manager shall have the discretion to increase the salary of such employee to an amount not in excess of the top step of the higher classification.

(c) An employee assigned to perform such duties for six months shall be entitled to a salary which shall be not less than that of the lowest step of the higher classification, nor greater than that of the highest step of such classification, as determined by the City Manager, but in no event shall such employee be paid less than that received pursuant to subsection (a) or (b) above. Any subsequent adjustments to this rate of pay shall be at the discretion of the City Manager.

Section 6.9 Special Circumstances/Special Recognition Pay

An employee specifically assigned by a department head through use of the personnel action form process on a temporary or longer term basis to regularly perform work outside of the scope of the employee's permanent classification but not performing substantially the duties of another job classification may receive Special Circumstances/Special Recognition Pay at the exclusive discretion of the City Manager. The City Manager may assign a rate of pay between 3.5% and 10% depending on the nature of the circumstances and organizational need. The determination as to the rate of pay made by the City Manager shall be final and not subject to use of the Grievance Procedure.

Section 6.10 Bilingual Incentive Pay

(a) Employees who are capable of using American Sign Language, or a foreign language designated by Human Resources as critical for public service in San Bruno, in business dealings with the public shall be eligible for incentive pay at a rate of 2.5% of base salary.

(b) To receive bilingual incentive pay, an employee must pass a basic written test and an oral conversation exercise.

(c) Incentive pay eligibility will begin when the City has concluded contracts with all bargaining units in active negotiation as of February 1, 2001.